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PROCEEDINGS

THIRTIETH DAY (CONTINUED) — FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 2005

The house met at 9 a.m. and was called to order by the speaker.

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 96).

Present — Mr. Speaker; Allen, A.; Allen, R.; Alonzo; Anchia; Anderson; Bailey; Baxter; Berman; Blake; Bohac; Bonnen; Branch; Brown, B.; Brown, F.; Burnam; Callegari; Campbell; Casteel; Castro; Chavez; Chisum; Coleman; Cook, B.; Cook, R.; Corte; Crabb; Crownover; Davis, J.; Davis, Y.; Dawson; Delisi; Denny; Deshotel; Driver; Dukes; Dunnam; Dutton; Edwards; Eiland; Eissler; Elkins; Escobar; Farabee; Farrar; Flores; Flynn; Frost; Gallego; Gattis; Geren; Giddings; Gonzales; Gonzalez Toureilles; Goodman; Goolsby; Griggs; Grusendorf; Guillen; Haggerty; Hamilton; Hamric; Hardcastle; Harper-Brown; Hartnett; Hegar; Herrero; Hilderbran; Hill; Hochberg; Hodge; Homer; Hope; Hopson; Howard; Hughes; Hunter; Hupp; Isett; Jackson; Jones, D.; Jones, J.; Keel; Keffer, B.; Keffer, J.; King, P.; King, T.; Kolkhorst; Krusee; Kuempel; Laney; Laubenberger; Leibowitz; Luna; Madden; Martinez; Martinez Fischer; McCall; McClendon; McReynolds; Menendez; Merritt; Miller; Moreno, J.; Moreno, P.; Morrison; Mowery; Naishtat; Nixon; Noriega, M.; Oliveira; Olivo; Orr; Otto; Paxton; Peña; Phillips; Pickett; Pitts; Puente; Quintanilla; Raymond; Reyna; Riddle; Ritter; Rodriguez; Rose; Seaman; Smith, T.; Smith, W.; Smithee; Solis; Solomons; Strama; Straus; Swinford; Talton; Taylor; Thompson; Truitt; Turner; Uresti; Van Arsdale; Veasey; Villarreal; Vo; Wong; Woolley; Zedler.

Absent, Excused — West.

The invocation was offered by Randy Phillips, pastor, Promiseland West, Austin.

The speaker recognized Representative Baxter who led the house in the pledges of allegiance to the United States and Texas flags.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of illness:

West on motion of Pitts.

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

The speaker recognized Representative Homer who presented Dr. Paul Richard Bercher of Paris as the "Doctor for the Day."

The house welcomed Dr. Bercher and thanked him for his participation in the Physician of the Day Program sponsored by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians.

HOUSE AT EASE

At 9:25 a.m., the speaker announced that the house would stand at ease.

The speaker called the house to order at 10:31 a.m.

ADJOURNMENT

The speaker announced that the house would stand adjourned until 10:35 a.m. today.

The motion prevailed.

The house accordingly, at 10:31 a.m., adjourned until 10:35 a.m. today.